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MISSION G-959

9 MAY 1967

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MAY 1967

GROUP 1 EXCLUDED FROM
AUTOMATIC DOWNGRADING
AND DECLASSIFICATION

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PREFACE

25X1D THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [REDACTED] MISSION G-959, 9 MAY 1967. THE NUMBER AT THE RIGHT MARGIN OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS--
C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUD COVER), HC (HEAVY CLOUD COVER), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), GC (GROUND COVER), CF (CAMOUFLAGE), O (OBLIQUITY), AND GR (GROUND RESOLUTION).

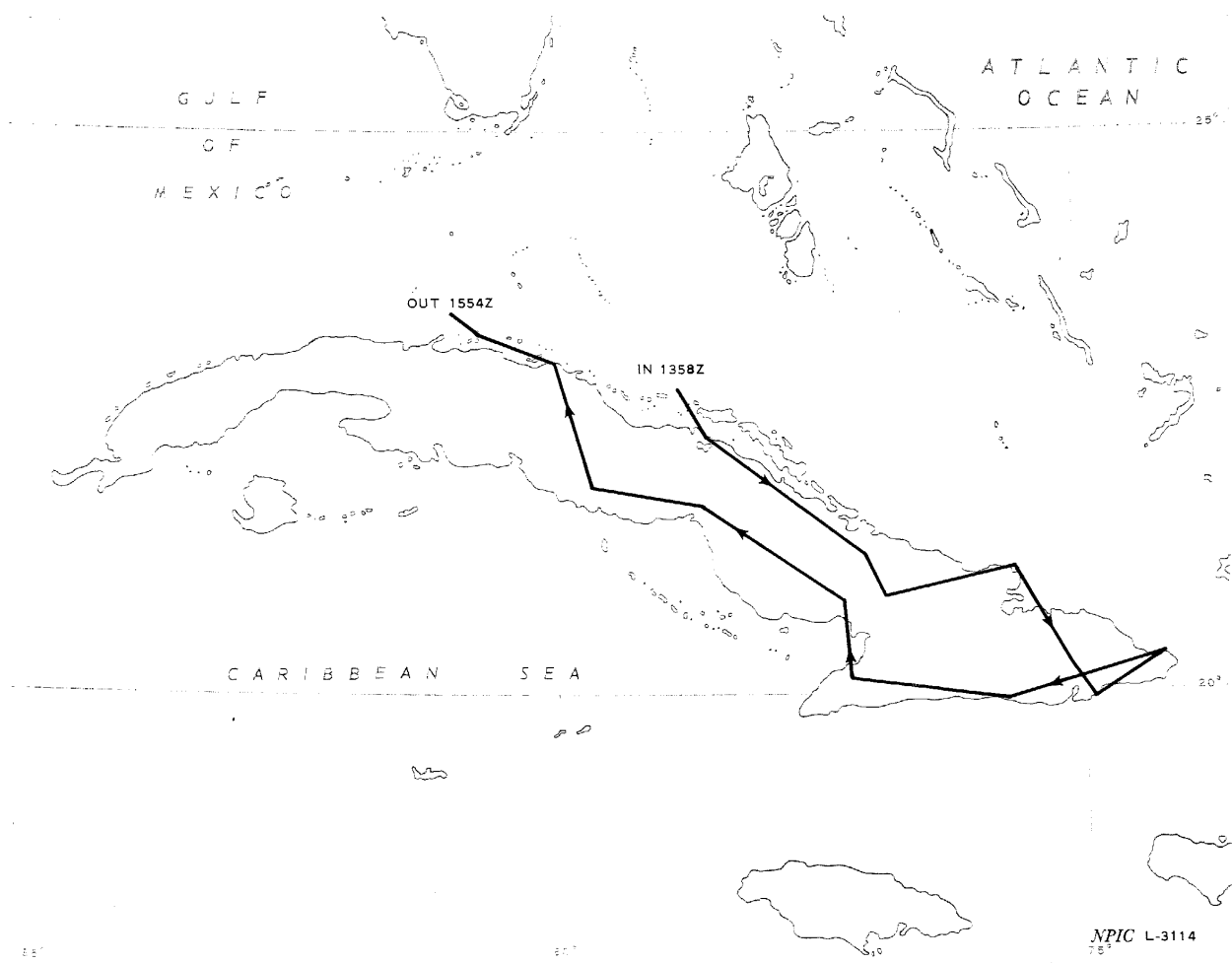
INTERPRETABILITY OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY IS CATEGORIZED AS G (GOOD), F (FAIR), OR P (POOR). THE EXTENT OF TARGET COVERAGE IS DENOTED BY THE SYMBOLS T (TOTAL) OR PT (PARTIAL). THE MODE OF COVERAGE IS SIGNIFIED BY ST (STEREO), NS (NONSTEREO), OR PS (PARTIAL STEREO).

AAA DEFENSES ARE DIVIDED INTO FOUR BASIC CATEGORIES -- LIGHT (21-75 MM), MEDIUM (76-100 MM), HEAVY (OVER 100 MM), AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS (ZPU-1, ZPU-2, AND ZPU-4). IF THE CATEGORY CANNOT BE DETERMINED, THE SITE WILL BE LISTED AS AN AAA SITE AND THE NUMBER OF GUNS INDICATED (EXAMPLE -- 6-GUN AAA SITE, OCCUPIED/UNOCCUPIED).

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APPROXIMATE TRACK OF [REDACTED] MISSION G-959, 9 MAY 1967

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MISSILES

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CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA

CU 2236N 08005W

DB -- 8 PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AND 8 OTHER VEHICLES.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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HOLGUIN SAM SITE B27-2

CU 2052N 07627W

DB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (1 WITH MISSILE), A FAN SONG RADAR WITH 6 ASSOCIATED VAN TRAILERS, AND 8 TRUCKS.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

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HOLGUIN AIRFIELD SAM SITE

CU 2046N 07619W

DB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS (5 WITH MISSILES), 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (6 WITH MISSILES), A FAN SONG RADAR, 10 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 VAN TRUCKS, AND 17 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

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RANCHUELO SAM SITE A33-2

CU 2223N 08010W

DB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS, AT LEAST 9 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED CENTRAL GUIDANCE REVETMENT.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

25X1D

SANTA CLARA SAM SITE A34-2

CU 2229N 08000W

DB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS, 5 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED CENTRAL GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

ACTIVITY -- 1 OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE A23-2

CU 1959N 07550W

OB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS, AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA,
10 PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND 14 OTHER
VEHICLES.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA

CU 2004N 07553W

OB -- 5 MISSILES ON DOLLIES, 9 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 3
CANISTER TRANSPORTER TRAILERS, 3 LOW BOY TRAILERS, 2
TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANES, 8 OTHER VEHICLES, AND NUMEROUS
MISSILE CANISTERS.

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SANTIAGO SAM TRAINING AREA

CU 1958N 07551W

OB -- 16 VAN TRUCKS AND 14 CARGO TRUCKS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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LA VEGUITA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA

CU 2049N 07615W

OB -- 6 EXPOSED MISSILES, 2 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS,
NUMEROUS MISSILE AND BOOSTER CANISTERS, 4 PROBABLE
MISSILE CANISTER TRANSPORTERS, 4 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 9
UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SAN PEDRO DE CACOCUM SAM SITE 2

CU 2045N 07615W

OB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), 3 MISSILE
TRANSPORTERS, AND A FAN SONG RADAR WITH 5 ASSOCIATED
VAN TRAILERS.

ACTIVITY -- 1 OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH FACILITIES AND SUPPORT

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FACILITIES.

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LA MAYA SAM SITE

CU 2014N 07540W

OB -- 6 EMPLACED LAUNCHERS, AN OCCUPIED CENTRAL
GUIDANCE AREA, AND AT LEAST 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN LAUNCH AND SUPPORT FACILITIES.

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AIR FACILITIES

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD

CU 2229N 07956W

OB -- 29 FAGOT/FRESCO, 2 LIAISON, AND 2 HOUND.
ACTIVITY -- 7 MIG-17 CRATES.

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CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD

CU 2125N 07750W

OB -- 1 LIAISON AND 16 HOUND.

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HOLGUIN AIRFIELD

CU 2047N 07618W

OB -- 9 FAGOT/FRESCO AND 1 HOUND.
ACTIVITY -- 14 AIRCRAFT REVETMENTS IN MID-STAGE OF
CONSTRUCTION.

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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD

CU 2005N 07509W

OB -- 1 C-46 AND 2 COLT.

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ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD

CU 1958N 07550W

OB -- 2 MORAVA L-200 AND 2 HOUND.

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NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS

SANTIAGO DE CUBA NAVAL BASE AND PORT

CU 2001N 07550W

OB -- 1 PROBABLE YP.

OTHER VESSELS -- 8 LARGE FREIGHTERS AND 1 LARGE TANKER.

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MANZANILLO PORT

CU 2021N 07707W

VESSELS -- 2 FREIGHTERS.

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NUEVITAS PORT

CU 2132N 07715W

VESSELS -- 5 LARGE FREIGHTERS AND 1 COASTAL FREIGHTER.

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LA ISABELA PORT

CU 2256N 08000W

VESSELS -- 4 FREIGHTERS.

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CASILDA PORT

CU 2145N 07959W

VESSELS -- NONE.

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ELECTRONICS/COMMUNICATIONS

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HOLGUIN EW/GCI RADAR SITE

CU 2048N 07618W

OB -- 1 PROBABLE TOKEN-TYPE RADAR AND 1 VAN TRAILER.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA EW/GCI RADAR SITE

CU 1959N 07551W

OB -- NONE OBSERVED.
ACTIVITY -- 13 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 20 CARGO TRUCKS, 3
CARGO TRAILERS, 6 PROBABLE AAA PIECES, AND AN OCCUPIED
6-GUN AAA SITE.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA EW/GCI RADAR SITE 2

CU 2005N 07551W

OB -- 1 TOKEN-TYPE RADAR.

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PUNTA MAISI LOW SIEVE RADAR SITE

CU 2014N 07409W

OB -- 1 LOW SIEVE RADAR.

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LA SOCAPA LOW SIEVE RADAR SITE

CU 1958N 07552W

OB -- 1 LOW SIEVE RADAR.

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MILITARY ACTIVITY

GUANTANAMO AREA

CU 2018N 07525W

ACTIVITY -- 6 PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS AT UTM
AND AN OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE AT
AREA 1 -- 90 PERCENT USEABLE COVERAGE.

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AREAS 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, AND 9 -- 100 PERCENT USEABLE
COVERAGE.

AREA 4 -- 70 PERCENT USEABLE COVERAGE.

AREA 7 -- 80 PERCENT USEABLE COVERAGE.

(MAP REFERENCE -- AMS SERIES E723, SHEET 5176 II, 4TH
ED.)

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HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP

CU 2053N 07613W

OB -- 66 FA PIECES, 24 MORTARS, 70 CARGO TRUCKS, 27 VAN
TRUCKS, AND 9 UTILITY TRUCKS.

ACTIVITY -- 2 OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITES.

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HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP NW

CU 2057N 07616W

OB -- 2 PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS, 9 POSSIBLE FA PIECES,
AND 17 CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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CORRALILLO MILITARY AREA

CU 2301N 08038W

OB -- NONE OBSERVED.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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CUABITAS MILITARY CAMP

CU 2003N 07548W

OB -- 11 TANKS/SP GUNS AND 6 CARGO TRUCKS.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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LA QUINTA MILITARY CAMP

CU 2002N 07551W

OB -- 8 FA PIECES, 9 MORTARS, 17 CARGO TRUCKS, 2
UTILITY TRUCKS, AND 4 OTHER VEHICLES.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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MINAS MILITARY CAMP

CU 2127N 07734W

DB -- 19 TANKS/SP GUNS, 3 VAN TRUCKS, 9 CARGO TRUCKS,
AND 2 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.
ACTIVITY -- 1 OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE AND ONE 6-GUN AAA
SITE (2 POSITIONS OCCUPIED).

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OFELIA MILITARY CAMP

CU 2006N 07530W

DB -- 14 TANKS/SP GUNS, 54 FA PIECES, 19 AAA PIECES, 15
MORTARS, 52 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 3 UTILITY TRUCKS.
CONSTRUCTION OF DRIVE-THROUGH BUNKERS AND WAREHOUSE
AREA COMPLETED.
ACTIVITY -- 1 OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA SITE.

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PUERTO PADRE MILITARY AREA

CU 2111N 07639W

DB -- AT LEAST 5 VEHICLES/PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED
IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTA CLARA MILITARY ACTIVITY

CU 2220N 07957W

AT LEAST 20 VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTA CLARA MILITARY CAMP SOUTH

CU 2222N 07958W

DB -- 29 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 VAN TRUCKS, AND AT LEAST 8
OTHER VEHICLES.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA MILITARY CAMP NW CU 2003N 07554W

OB -- 7 PROBABLE FA PIECES AND 25 CARGO TRUCKS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA MILITARY CAMP CU 2003N 07553W

OB -- 65 FA PIECES, 25 AAA PIECES, 3 MORTARS, 114 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 8 OTHER VEHICLES.
ACTIVITY -- 17 LARGE NON-SOVIET-TYPE TENTS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA MIL CAMP SAN JUAN HILL CU 2001N 07547W

OB -- 29 FA PIECES, 12 AAA PIECES, 24 MORTARS, 9 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 1 UTILITY TRUCK.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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LAS MERCEDES VEHICLE PARK CU 2224N 08001W

AT LEAST 50 VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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CONDADO PROBABLE MILITARY INSTALLATION CU 2152N 07915W

OB -- NONE OBSERVED.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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SIBONEY LANDING BEACH

CU 1957N 07542W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH

CU 1958N 07457W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH

CU 1957N 07556W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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NICARO LANDING BEACH

CU 2042N 07533W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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IMIAS LANDING BEACH

CU 2005N 07440W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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MOA (PUNTA GORDA) LANDING BEACH

CU 2039N 07453W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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MOA (CANANOVA) LANDING BEACH

CU 2039N 07502W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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CAYO DE SABINAL LANDING BEACH

CU 2144N 07728W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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MATAGUA MILITARY CAMP

CU 2215N 08002W NO COMOR

OB -- AT LEAST 20 CARGO TRUCKS.
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

25X1A [REDACTED] GANUZA LANDING BEACH 2305N 08030W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED--

25X1A [REDACTED] SANTA CLARA EW/GCI RADAR SITE 2229N 07956W
SAGUA LA GRANDE EW/GCI RADAR SITE 2 2248N 08006W
PUNTA MULAS SUSPECT LOW SIEVE RADAR SITE 2101N 07535W
EL CRISTO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2010N 07547W
SANTA CLARA ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA 2222N 08000W
LA CHARCA MILITARY ACTIVITY 2246N 08036W

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